CONSUMER PRICE

INDEX REPORT

ANNUAL DATA SUPPLEMENT

1998 TO 2000

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Data Highlights - 2000

The Manitoba All Items Index rose 2.5% in 2000. At the Canada level, the percent change was slightly higher at 2.7%. In Manitoba, in 2000, the Clothing and Footwear component increased by 0.4%, while the Health and Personal Care component had the largest increase with 3.6% growth. At the Canada level, the Clothing and Footwear component increased by 0.2%, with the largest increase being registered in Transportation at 5.0%.

If the Energy component is examined separately, then the 2000 percent change increases drastically. Manitoba has the smallest amount of growth at 9.7%, while Canada as a whole has growth of 16.2%. By excluding the Energy component, the growth is more reasonable. The All Items Excluding Energy component grew by 1.8% at the Manitoba level, second only to Alberta (2.0%) in the amount of growth.

From 1998 to 1999, Manitoba experienced a 1.9% increase for All Items. Over the same period, Canada had growth of 1.7%. Over the last two years, Manitoba and Canada both experienced a increases of 4.5% in the All Items Index. The Manitoba increase for Energy and All Items Excluding Energy were 14.4% and 3.6% respectively.

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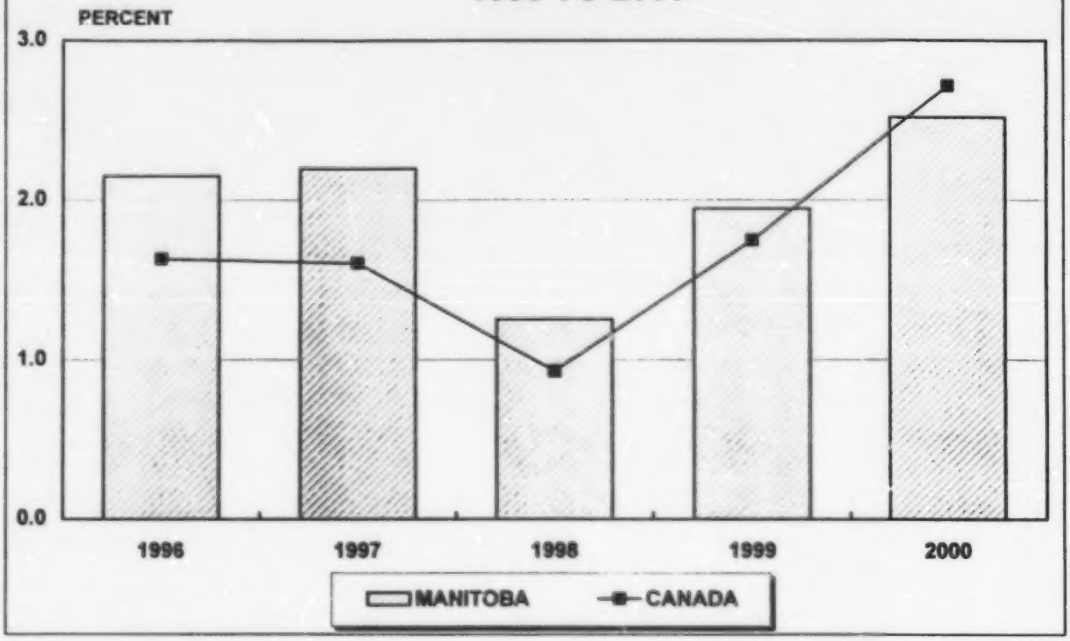
ANNUAL INFLATION RATE
1996 TO 2000



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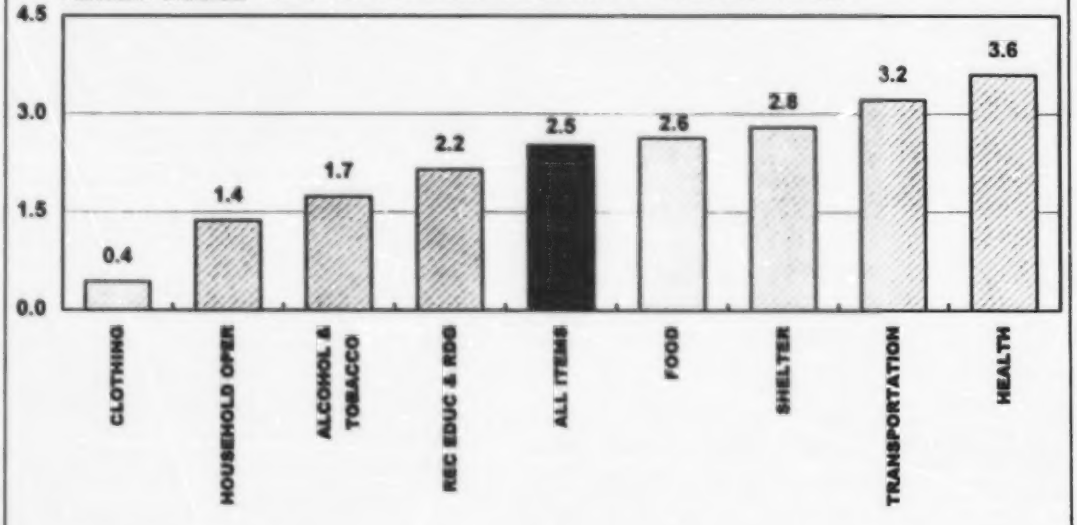
MAJOR COMPONENTS: MANITOBA



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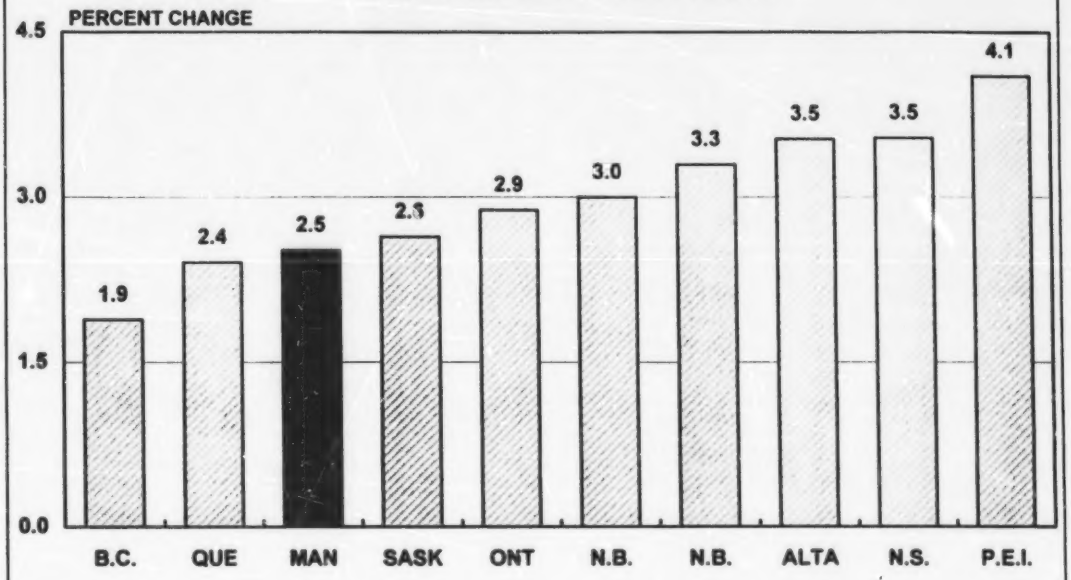

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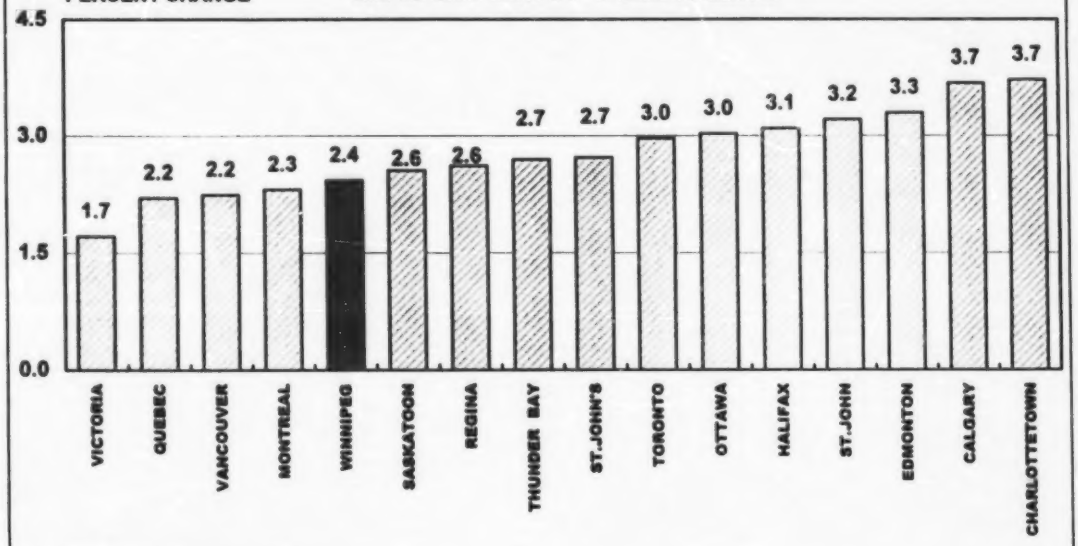

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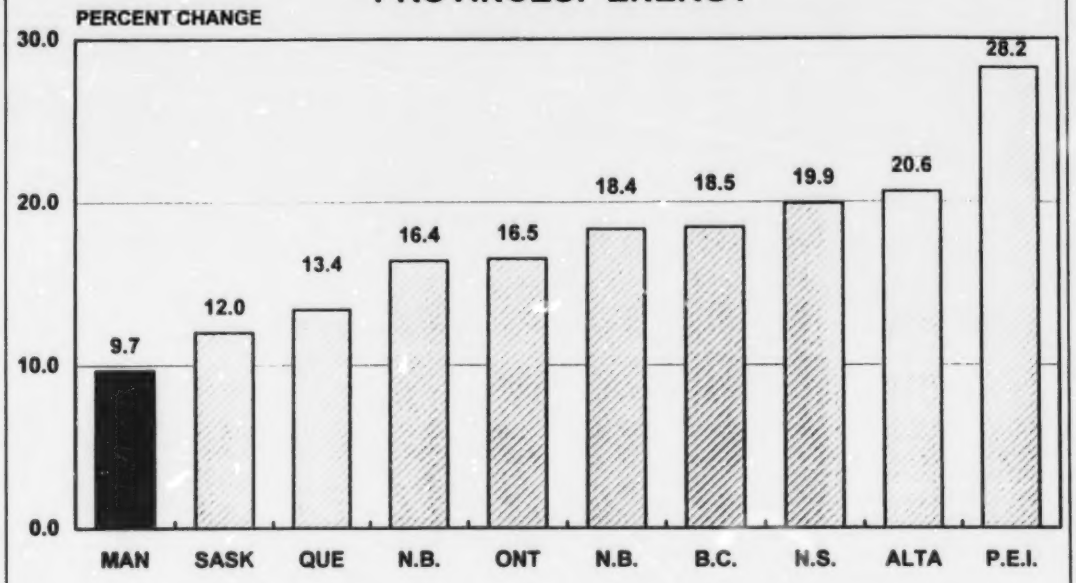

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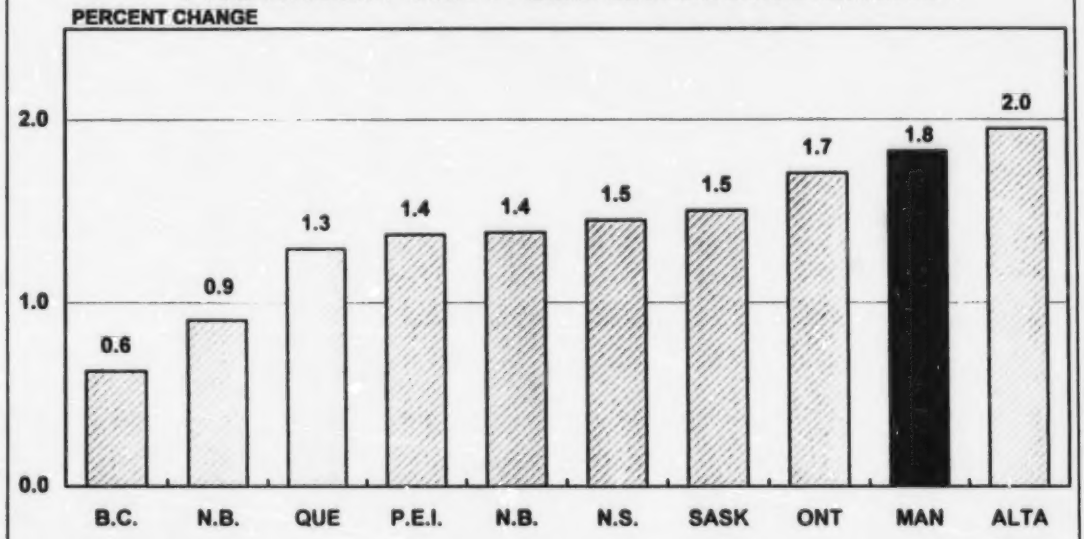

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TABLE 1: ANNUAL CONSUMER PRICE INDICES - 1998 TO 2000
BY COMPONENT: MANITOBA AND CANADA

(1992 = 100)

	MANITOBA						CANADA					
				PERCENT CHANGE						PERCENT CHANGE		
	1998	1999	2000	1998 TO 1999	1999 TO 2000	1998 TO 2000	1998	1999	2000	1998 TO 1999	1999 TO 2000	1998 TO 2000
MAIN COMPONENTS:												
ALL ITEMS	113.0	115.2	118.1	1.9	2.5	4.5	108.6	110.5	113.5	1.7	2.7	4.5
FOOD	112.5	113.9	116.9	1.2	2.6	3.9	109.3	110.7	112.2	1.3	1.4	2.7
SHELTER	108.8	110.8	113.9	1.8	2.8	4.7	103.7	105.1	108.8	1.4	3.5	4.9
HOUSEHOLD OPERATIONS AND FURNISHINGS	107.6	109.7	111.2	2.0	1.4	3.3	108.2	109.0	110.0	0.7	0.9	1.7
CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	113.9	116.3	116.8	2.1	0.4	2.5	103.9	105.3	105.5	1.3	0.2	1.5
TRANSPORTATION	123.5	127.6	131.7	3.3	3.2	6.6	120.5	124.5	130.7	3.3	5.0	8.5
HEALTH AND PERSONAL CARE	108.7	111.2	115.2	2.3	3.6	6.0	108.1	110.2	112.0	1.9	1.6	3.6
RECREATION, EDUCATION AND READING	119.6	120.8	123.4	1.0	2.2	3.2	117.5	119.6	122.5	1.8	2.4	4.3
TOBACCO AND ALCOHOL	100.9	103.5	105.3	2.6	1.7	4.4	92.6	94.5	97.6	2.1	3.3	5.4
SPECIAL AGGREGATES:												
ALL ITEMS EXCL. FOOD	113.1	115.5	118.3	2.1	2.4	4.6	108.6	110.5	113.9	1.7	3.1	4.9
ALL ITEMS EXCL. FOOD AND ENERGY	113.2	115.4	117.2	1.9	1.6	3.5	108.9	110.5	112.2	1.5	1.5	3.0
ENERGY	112.0	116.8	128.1	4.3	9.7	14.4	104.3	110.2	128.1	5.7	16.2	22.8
GOODS	111.4	113.1	115.9	1.5	2.5	4.0	105.8	107.7	111.1	1.8	3.2	5.0
SERVICES	114.6	117.5	120.4	2.5	2.5	5.1	111.9	113.8	116.4	1.7	2.3	4.0

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TABLE 2: ANNUAL CONSUMER PRICE INDICES - 1998 TO 2000
BY PROVINCE: ALL ITEMS

(1992 = 100)

	ALL ITEMS					
				PERCENT CHANGE		
	1998	1999	2000	1998 TO 1999	1999 TO 2000	1998 TO 2000
MANITOBA	113.0	115.2	118.1	1.9	2.5	4.5
WESTERN PROVINCES						
SASKATCHEWAN	111.8	113.7	116.7	1.7	2.6	4.4
ALBERTA	110.7	113.4	117.4	2.4	3.5	6.1
BRITISH COLUMBIA	110.0	111.2	113.3	1.1	1.9	3.0
EASTERN PROVINCES						
ONTARIO	108.9	111.0	114.2	1.9	2.9	4.9
QUEBEC	106.4	108.0	110.6	1.5	2.4	3.9
MARITIME PROVINCES						
NEW BRUNSWICK	107.5	109.2	112.8	1.6	3.3	4.9
NOVA SCOTIA	108.5	110.3	114.2	1.7	3.5	5.3
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	106.0	107.3	111.7	1.2	4.1	5.4
NEWFOUNDLAND	108.4	110.0	113.3	1.5	3.0	4.5
* MANITOBA RANK				9	3	4

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TABLE 3: ANNUAL CONSUMER PRICE INDICES - 1998 TO 2000
BY CITY: ALL ITEMS

(1992 = 100)

	ALL ITEMS					
				PERCENT CHANGE		
	1998	1999	2000	1998 TO 1999	1999 TO 2000	1998 TO 2000
WINNIPEG	113.0	115.3	118.1	2.0	2.4	4.5
WESTERN CITIES						
REGINA	112.7	114.7	117.7	1.8	2.6	4.4
SASKATOON	111.3	113.4	116.3	1.9	2.6	4.5
CALGARY	111.3	114.2	118.4	2.6	3.7	6.4
EDMONTON	109.7	112.2	115.9	2.3	3.3	5.7
VANCOUVER	110.4	111.4	113.9	0.9	2.2	3.2
VICTORIA	110.0	111.1	113.0	1.0	1.7	2.7
EASTERN CITIES						
THUNDER BAY	109.4	111.3	114.3	1.7	2.7	4.5
TORONTO	109.0	111.2	114.5	2.0	3.0	5.0
OTTAWA	110.1	112.2	115.6	1.9	3.0	5.0
MONTREAL	106.5	108.2	110.7	1.6	2.3	3.9
QUEBEC	107.3	108.9	111.3	1.5	2.2	3.7
MARITIME CITIES						
SAINT JOHN, N.B.	107.2	109.0	112.5	1.7	3.2	4.9
HALIFAX	107.9	109.8	113.2	1.8	3.1	4.9
CHARLOTTETOWN	106.2	107.4	111.4	1.1	3.7	4.9
ST. JOHN'S, NFLD	108.5	110.2	113.2	1.6	2.7	4.3
* WINNIPEG RANK (OUT OF SIXTEEN CITIES)				14	5	9

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TABLE 4: ANNUAL CONSUMER PRICE INDICES - 1998 TO 2000
BY PROVINCE: ENERGY AND ALL ITEMS EXCLUDING ENERGY

(1992 = 100)

	ENERGY						ALL ITEMS EXCLUDING ENERGY					
				PERCENT CHANGE						PERCENT CHANGE		
	1998	1999	2000	1998 TO 1999	1999 TO 2000	1998 TO 2000	1998	1999	2000	1998 TO 1999	1999 TO 2000	1998 TO 2000
MANITOBA	112.0	116.8	128.1	4.3	9.7	14.4	112.9	114.9	117.0	1.8	1.8	3.6
WESTERN PROVINCES												
SASKATCHEWAN	116.1	122.3	137.0	5.3	12.0	18.0	111.5	113.0	114.7	1.3	1.5	2.9
ALBERTA	112.1	122.2	147.4	9.0	20.6	31.5	110.5	112.7	114.9	2.0	2.0	4.0
BRITISH COLUMBIA	103.7	110.4	130.8	6.5	18.5	26.1	110.6	111.4	112.1	0.7	0.6	1.4
EASTERN PROVINCES												
ONTARIO	103.0	108.9	126.9	5.7	16.5	23.2	109.4	111.2	113.1	1.6	1.7	3.4
QUEBEC	100.5	105.9	120.1	5.4	13.4	19.5	106.9	108.2	109.6	1.2	1.3	2.5
MARITIME PROVINCES												
NEW BRUNSWICK	113.0	117.0	136.2	3.5	16.4	20.5	107.0	108.4	109.9	1.3	1.4	2.7
NOVA SCOTIA	104.4	108.5	130.1	3.9	19.9	24.6	108.7	110.3	111.9	1.5	1.5	2.9
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	91.9	92.5	118.6	0.7	28.2	29.1	108.0	109.3	110.8	1.2	1.4	2.6
NEWFOUNDLAND	104.0	106.8	126.4	2.7	18.4	21.5	109.1	110.5	111.5	1.3	0.9	2.2
* MANITOBA RANK				5	1	1				9	9	9

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